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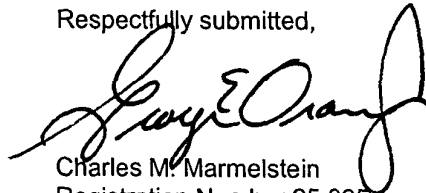
- ☒ 28 pages of Specification/Claims 1-5/Abstract are attached.  
☒ Formal drawings (Figs. 1-14; 14 sheets) are attached.  
☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.  
☒ Priority of Japanese Application Number 2002-308197 filed October 23, 2002, and Japanese Application Number 2003-291558 filed August 11, 2003, are claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.  
☒ An Assignment of the invention to EAGLE INDUSTRY CO., LTD. is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.

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